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FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 2nd January 2025

**S.R.O. No. 57/2025**—Whereas, Forest Block Thakurmunda Reserve Forest under the provisions of Section 9 of the Mayurbhanj Forest Act, has been notified by the Government of Maharaja of Mayurbhanj Notification No. F/G/5/11717 A, dated the 20th March 1945 indicating an area of 627 Ac in Thakurmunda Forest Range of Karanjia Forest Division as per Annexure-I;

And whereas, the Government of Odisha in the Forest & Environment Department have notified a "Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for geo-referencing of Forest Block boundary through DGPS Survey" in the *Odisha Gazette* vide Notification No. 22572400112016-10F(Cons.)-77/2016/14097-F&E, dated the 4th July 2017, for preparation of such geo-referenced forest maps in pursuance of the directives of Hon'ble Supreme Court in their order dated the 6th July 2011 [in IA Nos. 1868, 2091, 2225—2227, 2380, 2568 and 2937 in Writ Petition (C) No. 202 of 1995-Lafarge matter];

And whereas, the Government of Odisha have appointed all Tehsildars in their respective Tehsil jurisdiction in the respective Districts as Forest Settlement Officer (FSO) vide Notification No. 7767—10F(TR)-38/2020-F&E, dated the 21st May 2020;

And whereas, the Forest Revenue Joint Verification Committee has jointly verified and confirmed the boundary pillar positions as per report in Annexure-II;

And whereas, the Forest Settlement Officer has certified 'No Change' in the boundary extent of Thakurmunda Reserve Forest post 25th October 1980. The DGPS survey boundary co-ordinates have been verified by ORSAC and certified by the Forest Settlement Officer. The computed area (UTM Zone 45 N projection and WGS 84 datum) of the Thakurmunda Reserve Forest is 255.16 ha or 630.51 Ac. The change in area is due to method of Survey & Area Computation.

Therefore, it has been decided to supplement the existing notification of the Thakurmunda Reserve Forest with the above-mentioned FSO certified DGPS surveyed Forest Block map as per Annexure-III and the statement of geo-co-ordinates of the Forest Block boundary pillar positions as

per Annexure-IV which shall be treated as the precise boundary description of the Thakurmunda Reserve Forest and shall form an integral part of the original notification in place of any other form of boundary description notified earlier.

There shall be no change to the admitted rights in the original notification.

[No. 467—FE-DIV-MISC-0011/2016-10F(Cons.)-34/2020-FE&CC.]

By order of the Governor

SATYABRATA SAHU

Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Regd. No. P-388

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## PART I—A.

Rules, Notifications, etc. issued under the authority of the Maharaja or the Dewan.

The 20th March, 1945.

No. F/G[5]11717 A.—Under the provisions of Section 9 of the Mayurbhanj Forest Act, the Government of the Maharaja of Mayurbhanj are hereby pleased to declare that the areas specified below which in Notification Nos. mentioned against each were proposed to be reserve forests, shall be reserved forest with effect from the date of this Notification.

I. Thakurmunda Pergana, Panchpir Sub-division (Notification No. F/G[4]4695, dated 14. 6. 43).

1. Taramara—A 1824, 2. Handiphuta—A 765,
3. Thakurmunda—A 6274, 4. Chamakpur—A 457,
5. Khejuria—A 1604, 6. Talpada—A 364, 7. Bansu-  
liha—A 418, 8. Bharandia—A 244, 9. Manjuresi—  
A 362, 10. Tikarpada—A 223, 11. Gaurigardia—A  
66, 12. Purunapani—A 1132, 13. Jadibil—A 469,
4. San Rugdibeda—A 532, 15. Buring—A 685,
6. San Andharikhman—A 300.

Total—A 10,175.

II. Katanpur Pergana, Panchpir Sub-division (Notification No. F/G[4]4696, dated 14. 8. 43).

1. Kadapani—A 363, 2. Dangapani—A 262,
- Kaliajani No. 1—A 947, 4. Kaliajani No. 2—  
369, 5. Ghodabinda—A 421, 6. Hatigoda—A 272,
- Mituan No. 1—A 267, 8. Mituan No. 2—A 461,
- Badbil—A 2359, 10. Manhadbeda—A 521.

11. Dangadiha—A 242, 12. Vejidiha—A 400,
13. Mulapal—A 225, 14. Dakapal—A 301, 15. Jarak  
—A 120, 16. Kathuanuagaon—A 170, 17. Banmunda  
—A 441, 18. Gaudibahali—A 456, 19. Khumthan—  
A 600, 20. Nada—A 880, 21. Satkoshia Hill block—  
35240.

Total—A 45,272.

III. Barpada Pergana, Panchpir Sub-division (Notification No. F/G[4]4697, dated 14. 6. 43).

1. Salalbeda—A 314, 2. Chheratanagar—A 2000,
3. Kendumundi No. 2—A 1620, 4. Sarabali—A 405,
5. Rengalbeda—A 168, 6. Kendumundi No. 1—A 369,
7. Bispur No. 2—A 185, 8. Bispur No. 1—A 1053,
9. Pribil—A 337, 10. Kalakad—A 250, 11. Kenjhar—  
A 294, 12. Tikasil—A 232, 13. Podaichada—A 1144,
14. Chaturisahi—A 283, 15. Singda—A 281, 16. Kul-  
posi—A 60, 17. Hatisalbeda—A 1219, 18. Pandia—  
A 1598.

Total—A 11,861.

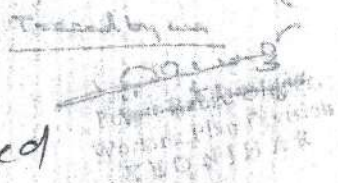
IV. Kanika Pir, Panchpir Sub-division (Notification No. F/G[4]6457, dated 4. 10. 1943).

1. Jhumukapal—A 70, 2. Bhanjabeda—A 363,
3. Kanika—A 62, 4. Tulsipur—A 70, 5. Galusahi  
—A 66.

Total—A 631.

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## FOREST REVENUE JOINT VERIFICATION COMMITTEE REPORT

**Forest Division:** Karanjia

**Forest Range:** Thakurmunda

### Minutes of Joint Verification:

List of participation of the Forest-Revenue joint verification committee is given at Table 1.

Joint Verification of the boundary of **Thakurmunda Reserve Forest** Block was carried out during 12-02-2020 to 12-02-2020. Existing pillar position recorded through GPS were plotted and compared against geo-referenced cadastral maps of adjoining villages. The verified forest boundary map is enclosed at Plate-1. Findings of the verification w.r.t. revenue cadastral is given below:



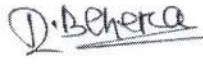
- Name of notified forest block: Thakurmunda Reserve Forest
- Notification no. & date: F/G/5/11717 Dt. 20-03-1945
- Area as per notification: 627.00 Ac/250.80 Ha.
- Existing no. of boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 13 nos. (Annexure -1)
- New boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 15 nos. (Annexure -2)
- GPS area of verified boundary: 255.54 ha.
- GPS perimeter of verified boundary: 10.13 km

### Observations:

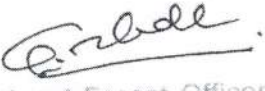
Notification is available (Boundary & Chainage bearing is not available) and Traverse map is enclosed at Appendix-1 & Appendix-2. It is observed that there is existing common boundary between the forest blocks Thakurmunda Reserve Forest and Jamunalia Reserve Forest in Range Thakurmunda of Karanjia Forest Division. Field Verification of the said common boundary between these forests blocks have been carried out in presence of the FRJVC member officials. Area of the Thakurmunda Reserve Forest and Jamunalia Reserve Forest blocks are found to be 2.687 SqKm. which is 0.022 (sq.km) less than the Notified Area 2.709 of the Forest Block. However, the combined Joint Verified Area of the Forest Block Thakurmunda Reserve Forest and Jamunalia Reserve Forest Blocks are within 5% deviation as compared to the combined Notified Area (2.709 SqKm) of both the forest blocks. The Joint Verified Area of the Forest blocks Thakurmunda Reserve Forest and Jamunalia Reserve Forest, as reported by the FRJVC members is accepted with reference to the provisions made under Section 170 (Amended Descriptions of Boundaries) specified in the The Orissa Forest Department. Code, 1979.

TABLE - 1

Forest and Revenue department officials(RO/FR/FG/RI/Amin) and TP involved in Joint verification of Forest Boundary

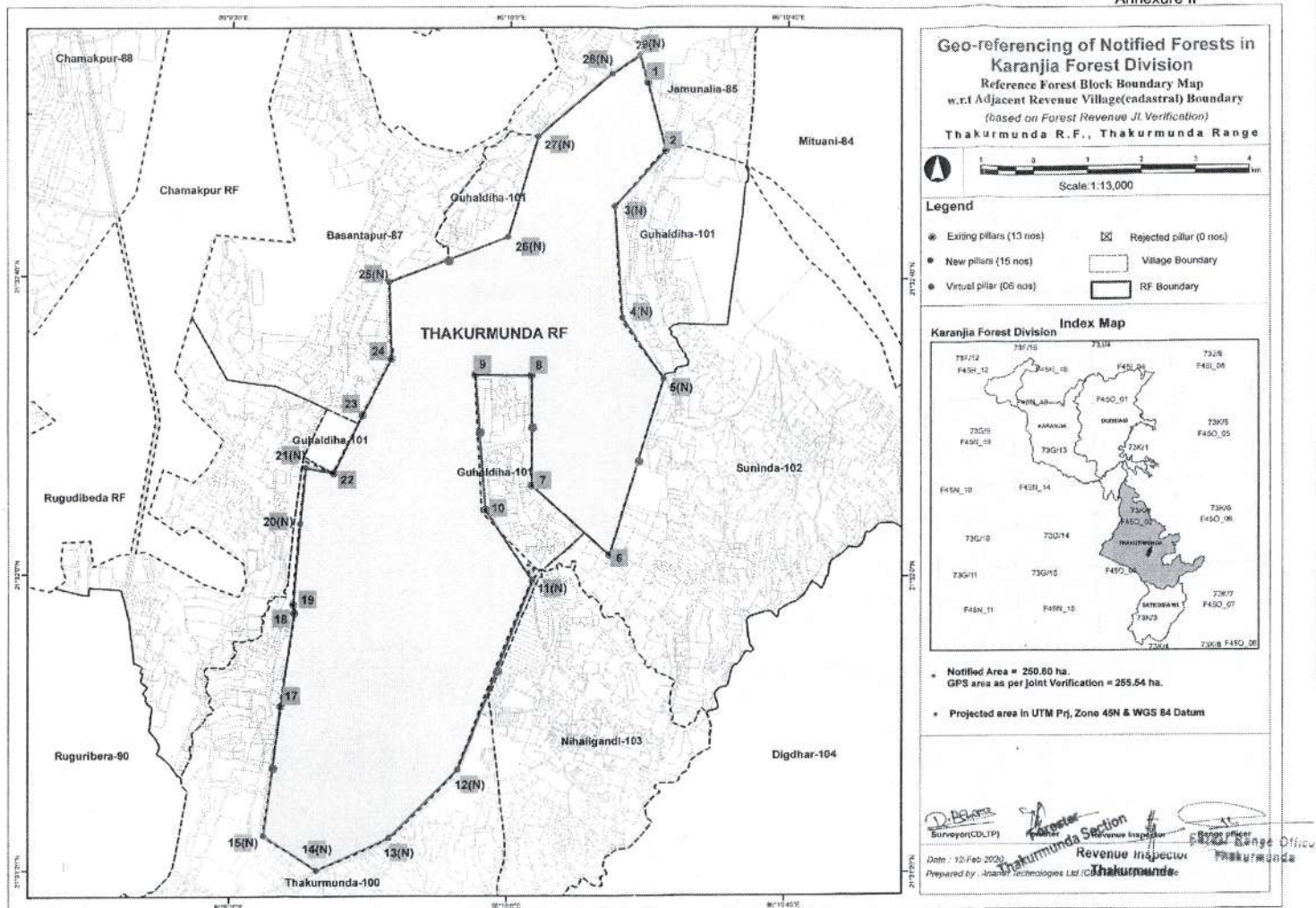
Name	Designation	Signature
Dhanraj K. Behera	Forest Guard	
Hanida magnum	Revenue Inspector	
Debasish Behera	GIS Engineer, Ananth technologies LTD.	Revenue Inspector Thakurmunda 

Counter Signed by:

  
Divisional Forest Officer  
Karanika Division

  
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THAKURMUNDA

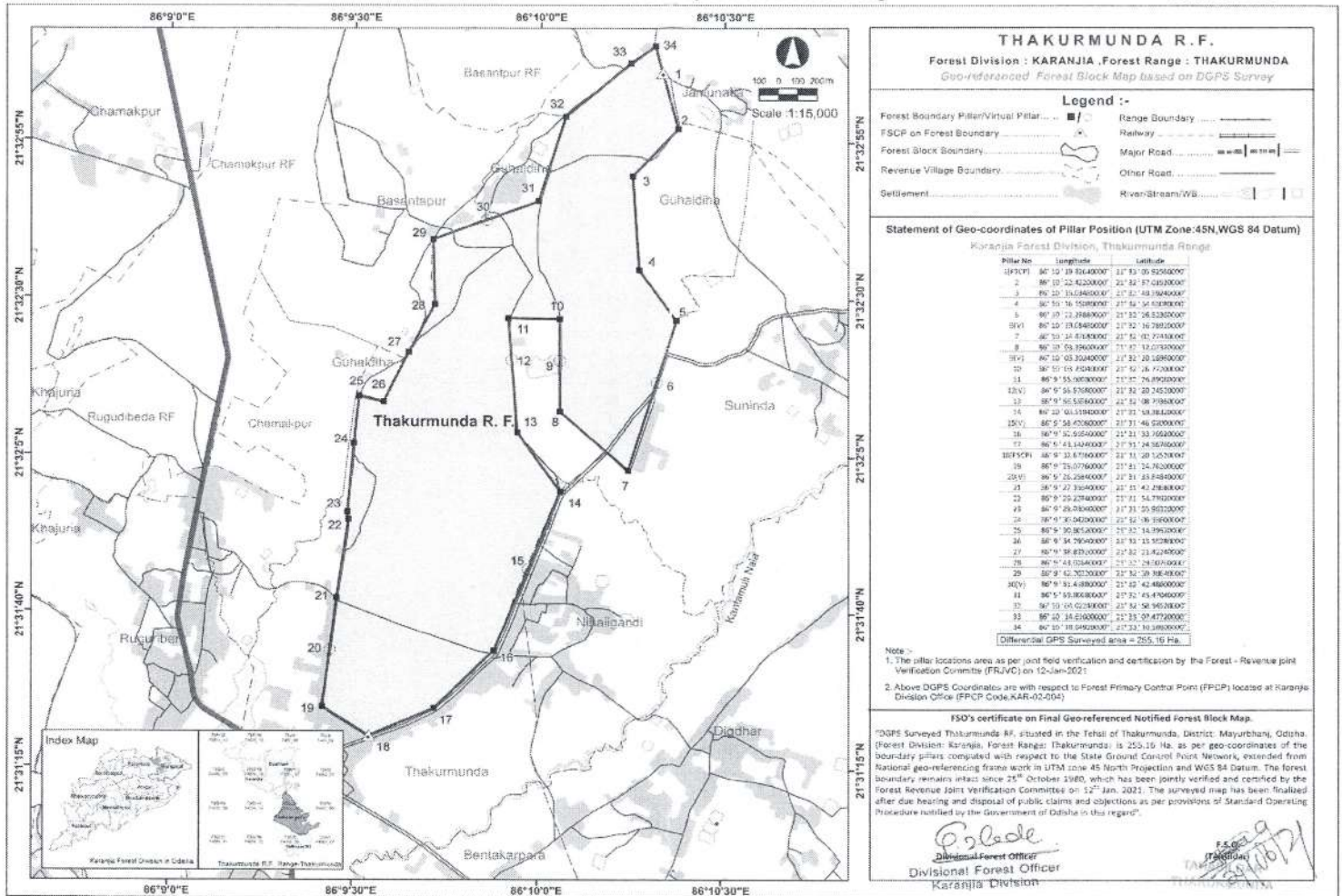
## Annexure II





## FSO Certified DGPS Surveyed Forest Block Map

Annexure-III





## STATEMENT OF GEO-COORDINATES OF PILLAR POSITIONS

Forest Division: **Karanjia** Forest Range : **Thakurmunda** Forest Block Name: **Thakurmunda RF****Ground Control Point (GCP) References. (All coordinates in WGS84 datum & UTM Zone 45 projection)**

GCP Type	GCP Location	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
FPCP	Thakurmunda Range Office	21°33'27.014868"	86°04'10.550388"	21.55750413	86.06959733
FSCP1	Thakurmunda RF , Pillar No- 1	21°33'5.925600"	86°10'19.826400"	21.55164600	86.17217400
FSCP2	Thakurmunda RF , Pillar No- 18	21°31'20.125200"	86°09'32.673600"	21.52225700	86.15907600

**Geo-coordinates of Boundary Pillar Position (Total: 34 nos.)**

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
1	21°33'5.925600"	86°10'19.826400"	21.55164600	86.17217400
2	21°32'57.019200"	86°10'22.422000"	21.54917200	86.17289500
3	21°32'49.592400"	86°10'15.034800"	21.54710900	86.17084300
4	21°32'34.630800"	86°10'16.150800"	21.54295300	86.17115300
5	21°32'26.523600"	86°10'22.288800"	21.54070100	86.17285800
6	21°32'16.789200"	86°10'19.084800"	21.53799700	86.17196800
7	21°32'2.774400"	86°10'14.476800"	21.53410400	86.17068800
8	21°32'12.073200"	86°10'3.396000"	21.53668700	86.16761000
9	21°32'20.169600"	86°10'3.302400"	21.53893600	86.16758400
10	21°32'26.772000"	86°10'3.230400"	21.54077000	86.16756400
11	21°32'26.890800"	86°09'55.000800"	21.54080300	86.16527800
12	21°32'20.245200"	86°09'55.576800"	21.53895700	86.16543800
13	21°32'8.793600"	86°09'56.559600"	21.53577600	86.16571100
14	21°31'59.383200"	86°10'3.518400"	21.53316200	86.16764400
15	21°31'46.920000"	86°09'58.420800"	21.52970000	86.16622800
16	21°31'33.769200"	86°09'52.916400"	21.52604700	86.16469900
17	21°31'24.567600"	86°09'43.142400"	21.52349100	86.16198400
18	21°31'20.125200"	86°09'32.673600"	21.52225700	86.15907600
19	21°31'24.762000"	86°09'25.077600"	21.52354500	86.15696600
20	21°31'33.848400"	86°09'26.258400"	21.52606900	86.15729400
21	21°31'42.286800"	86°09'27.356400"	21.52841300	86.15759900
22	21°31'54.739200"	86°09'29.228400"	21.53187200	86.15811900
23	21°31'55.963200"	86°09'29.030400"	21.53221200	86.15806400
24	21°32'6.936000"	86°09'30.042000"	21.53526000	86.15834500
25	21°32'14.395200"	86°09'30.805200"	21.53733200	86.15855700
26	21°32'13.552800"	86°09'34.790400"	21.53709800	86.15966400
27	21°32'21.422400"	86°09'38.833200"	21.53928400	86.16078700
28	21°32'29.007600"	86°09'43.016400"	21.54139100	86.16194900
29	21°32'39.386400"	86°09'42.703200"	21.54427400	86.16186200
30	21°32'42.486000"	86°09'51.418800"	21.54513500	86.16428300
31	21°32'45.470400"	86°09'59.806800"	21.54596400	86.16661300
32	21°32'58.945200"	86°10'4.022400"	21.54970700	86.16778400
33	21°33'7.477200"	86°10'14.610000"	21.55207700	86.17072500

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
34	21°33'10.188000"	86°10'18.649200"	21.55283000	86.17184700

\*\*\* END of Statement\*\*\*